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This is a response to the office action mailed May 22, 2002, in the above-identified application. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

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